

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Maurice Behague et al.
Serial No.: 10/749,296
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Group Art Unit: 3761
Confirmation No.: 9789
Examiner: Craig, Paula L.
Title: **COLLECTION BAG SYSTEM WITH
PREFORMED LOOP**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND AMENDMENT

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 22, 2007, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

Amendments to Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.